

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Robert G. Taub, Acting Chairman;
Mark Acton, Vice Chairman;
Ruth Y. Goldway;
Tony Hammond; and
Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices
Inbound Competitive Multi-Service Agreements with
Foreign Postal Operators
Hongkong Post – United States Postal
Service Bilateral Agreement (MC2010-34)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2014-21

ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TO EXISTING AGREEMENT

(Issued December 12, 2014)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Agreement) is set to expire February 28, 2015.¹ The Postal Service seeks to extend the Agreement pursuant to a Modification executed by the Postal Service and Hongkong Post.²

The Modification extends the expiration date of the Agreement until March 31, 2015. Notice at 1.

¹ Order No. 1948, Order Approving Additional Inbound Competitive Multi-Service Agreement with Foreign Postal Operators 1 Negotiated Service Agreement (with Hongkong Post), January 8, 2014.

² See Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification to the Hongkong Post – United States Postal Service Bilateral Agreement, December 9, 2014 (Notice), at Attachment 1 (Modification).

The Postal Service states that extending the Agreement for one additional month would allow the Agreement to correspond with its accounting practice of invoicing quarterly, rather than mid-quarterly. *Id.*

The Modification does not affect the cost coverage or rates for the Agreement. Consequently, the Commission reaffirms its findings in Order No. 1948 and approves the Modification. The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through March 31, 2015. Extending the Agreement is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person.

It is ordered:

The Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue through March 31, 2015.

By the Commission.

Shoshana M. Grove
Secretary